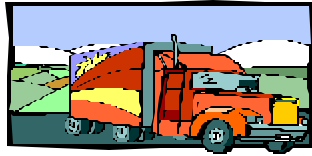


The Commodity Shelf

Department of Elementary and Secondary Education, School Food Services Section

February 2003



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A REMINDER

Processing packets were mailed January 14, 2003. They **must be returned** no later than February 3, 2003. LEAs must return the survey even if you choose not to participate in the Processing Program.

CATFISH NUGGETS

On December 6, 2002, the Agricultural Marketing Service (AMS) announced a hold and planned a re-inspection of catfish nuggets that had been distributed to LEAs. Upon completion of the re-inspection, the product was found to be within specification limits for bone content. This product; however, is not recommended for service to young children due to bone content and is to be removed from schools.

LEAs may dispose of these catfish nuggets in one of two ways: re-donate the product to charitable institutions that do not serve children or destroy product on-site. Those LEAs that received the catfish nuggets must notify our office by February 14, 2003, how many cases were re-donated or destroyed.

Please note that there have been no problems noted concerning bone content of the catfish strips.

COMMODITY ORDER FORM

DEADLINE THE 15TH 12 NOON

Following is a listing of entitlement and bonus commodity items that we anticipate receiving for the 2002-2003 School Year. This listing is updated monthly. Items designated (a) and (b) are charged against entitlement. Bonus items designated (B) are not charged against entitlement.

These items, if needed, must be ordered. Orders must be in this office no later than 12 noon on the 15th day of February for March delivery. You may obtain these commodities one of three ways. You may write, telephone, or fax your orders. These commodities may be used in authorized child feeding programs and for classroom instructional purposes in Family & Consumer Sciences classes only.

NAME OF SCHOOL -----			AGREEMENT NUMBER _ _ _ _ - _ _ _ _
Commodity	Pack Size	Value	Number of Cases Ordered
(B) Dry Milk, Noninstant	55 lb bag	\$55.37	B.
(b) Cornmeal, Degermed	4/10 lb bag	\$ 4.97	C.
(b) Flour, All-Purpose	4/10 lb bag	\$ 5.21	D.
(b) Flour, Bread	4/10 lb bag	\$ 5.69	E.
(b) Flour, Whole Wheat	4/10 lb bag	\$ 6.65	F.
(b) Macaroni, Enriched	20 lb case	\$ 4.52	G.
(b) Rotini, Enriched	20 lb case	\$ 4.66	H.
(b) Spaghetti, Enriched	20 lb case	\$ 4.37	I.
(b) Salad Oil	6/1 gallon	\$13.01	J.
(b) Shortening, Liquid	6/1 gallon	\$13.37	K.
(b) Peanut Butter	6/5 lb jar	\$25.31	M.
(b) Oats, Rolled	12/3 lb bag	\$14.01	N.
(b) Rice, Parboiled	25 lb bag	\$ 4.66	O.
(a) Pinto Beans, Dry	25 lb bag	\$ 8.12	P.
(a) Grt. Nrth Beans, Dry	25 lb bag	\$ 6.75	Q.
(a) Raisins, Dried	24/15 oz pkg	\$13.21	X.
(B) Salmon in Pouch	6/4 lb case	\$38.64	Y.
(a) Turkey Deli Breasts, Frz	40 lb case	\$55.60	Z.
(b) Bakery Mix, Lo-fat	6/5 lb bag	\$11.72	AC.
(a) Trail Mix	5/5 lb bag	\$39.41	AD.
(B) Blueberries, Frozen	30 lb case	\$21.89	AI.
(a) Mixed Fruit, canned	6/#10 cans	\$20.25	AL.
(B) Catfish Strips	40 lb case	\$21.50	AM.
(a) Orange Juice, Conc.	12/32 oz. cans	\$18.65	AN.
(a) Peaches, Frz.	20 lb case	\$13.64	AO.

TOTAL CASES ORDERED _____

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Prorated Commodities

Following is a listing of PRORATED entitlement and bonus commodity items expected to be available for the 2002-2003 school year. These items are prorated based upon your ADP. **If you wish to refuse all, or any part of your allocation, your Authorized Representative must notify our office in writing at least 6 weeks in advance of the estimated delivery period.** These commodities are for use in authorized feeding programs only. Commodities, amounts, and delivery dates are subject to change.

<u>FRUITS AND VEGETABLES</u>	<u>Pack Size</u>	<u>Estimated Delivery Period</u>	<u>Estimated Value</u>
Potato Rounds, frozen (37)	6/5 lb case	Start Oct. 1 – Complete Feb. 15	\$10.77
Pears, Halves, canned (84)	6/#10 case	Start Oct. 15 – Complete Feb. 15	\$16.62
Tomato Sauce, canned (59)	6/# 10 case	Start Nov. 15 – Complete Feb. 31	\$9.94
Pineapple Tidbits, canned (74)	6/#10 case	Start Dec. 15 – Complete Feb. 31	\$23.91
Green Beans, canned (98)	6/#10 case	Start Jan. 1 – Complete Feb. 15	\$10.80
Beans, Veg., canned (62)	6/#10 case	Start Feb. 1 – Complete March 15	\$10.98
Peaches, Diced, canned (49)	6/#10 case	Start Feb. 1 – Complete March 15	\$18.45
Peaches, Sliced, canned (60)	6/#10 case	Start Feb. 1 – Complete March 15	\$18.64
Corn, frozen (51)	30 lb case	Start Feb. 1 – Complete March 15	\$13.37
Pears, Sliced, canned (54)	6/#10 case	Start Feb. 15 – Complete March 30	\$14.69
Beans, Refried, canned (62)	6/#10 case	Start Mar. 1 – Complete April 15	\$11.57

<u>MEAT/MEAT ALTERNATE</u>	<u>Pack Size</u>	<u>Estimated Delivery Period</u>	<u>Estimated Value</u>
Ground Beef (41) (1 st alloc)**	40 lb case	Start Aug. 1 – Complete Feb. 15	\$74.50
American Cheese, Slcd (40) (2 nd alloc)	6/5 lb loaves	Start Nov. 1 – Complete Feb. 15	\$42.09
Mozzarella (107) (2 nd alloc) *	8/6 lb loaves	Start Nov. 1 – Complete Feb. 15	\$68.15
Cut-Up Chicken (15)**	40 lb case	Start Dec. 15 – Complete Feb. 31	\$22.00
Turkey Roast (60)	32-48 lb case	Start Dec. 15 – Complete Feb. 15	\$41.92
Ground Beef (41) (2 nd alloc)**	40 lb case	Start Jan. 1 – Complete Feb. 28	\$74.50
Turkey Hams (60)	40 lb case	Start Jan. 15 – Complete Feb. 28	\$35.87
Pork Roast (60)	32-40 lb case	Start Feb. 1 – Complete March 15	\$49.98
American Cheese, Slcd (38) (3 rd alloc)	6/5 lb loaves	Start Feb. 15 – Complete March 30	\$42.09
Ground Beef (24) make-up***	40 lb case	Start Mar. 1 – Complete April 15	\$74.50

The number shown in parenthesis for above product means your LEA will receive approximately one (1) case of that product per that number of Average Daily Participants (ADP).

Example: Corn, Frz (56) The number in parenthesis is the number of cases you will receive per ADP.

If you have an ADP of 112 you can expect to receive 2 cases of Corn, Frz. $112 \div 56 = 2$ cases

*If you chose not to process with Rich-SeaPak, you will receive this Mozzarella cheese.

** If you had 25%, 50%, etc. of this product processed, adjust your ADP accordingly when calculating allocation rates. If you had 100% of this product processed, you will not receive any.

*** If you chose not to have turkey processed, you will receive this ground beef.